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Title:	<u>APPROACH FOR CHARGING MULTIPLE BATTERIES</u>		

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to commencing substantive examination of the above-identified application on the merits, please enter the following Preliminary Amendment.

The amendment begins on page 2, and is presented in accordance with the revised practice of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.

Remarks follow on page 3.